

VIA EFS

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Patent Application of:	:	
Yoshiaki Tanaka	:	
Conf. No.: 4884	:	Group Art Unit: 1742
Appln. No.: 10/654,099	:	Examiner: Jessee Randall Roe
Filing Date: September 3, 2003	:	Attorney Docket No.: 10844-31US (203055(C-1))
Title:	:	
ALLOY TYPE THERMAL FUSE AND MATERIAL FOR A THERMAL FUSE ELEMENT	:	

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF NON-COMPLIANT APPEAL BRIEF

This is in response to a Notification of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief dated September 26, 2007 (Paper No. 20070924). This response is being timely filed by October 26, 2007. Attached is Appellant's Amended Brief, which is now in full compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 41.37. Specifically, Section III clearly states the status of all of the claims, including that claims 1 and 2 are canceled. Additionally, Section V maps independent claim 3 to specific paragraphs in the specification.

Respectfully submitted,

YOSHIAKI TANAKA

October 25, 2007
(Date)

By:

for

W. Schwaiger, Reg No 25,918
SANDRA M. KATZ

Registration No. 51,864

AKIN GUMP STRAUSS HAUER & FELD LLP

One Commerce Square

2005 Market Street, Suite 2200

Philadelphia, PA 19103-7013

Telephone: 215-965-1200

Direct Dial: 215-965-1344

Facsimile: 215-965-1210

E-Mail: skatz@akingump.com

SMK:rdh